



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: **Boubez et al.**

Serial No.: **09/758,112**

Filed: **January 3, 2001**

For: **Apparatus and Method for  
Categorizing Services Using  
Canonical Service Descriptions**

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Group Art Unit: **3624**

Examiner: **Hamilton, Lalita M.**

Attorney Docket No.: **RSW9-2000-0102-US1**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A fee of \$250.00 is required for one additional independent claim. No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0461. A one-month extension of time is believed to be necessary. Please charge the fee for the one-month extension to Deposit Account No. 50-3157. No additional extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an additional extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-3157.

In response to the Office Action dated November 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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